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KNUDSON ENCOURAGES PARTICIPATION IN PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK DAY 2015

MADISON—On October 17th, 2015, dozens of Wisconsin law enforcement agencies across the state will host the Prescription Drug Take Back Initiative. Rep. Dean Knudson (R-Hudson) encourages the residents of St. Croix and Pierce counties to participate.

“We all likely have unused or expired prescription medications forgotten at the back of our medicine cabinets,” said Rep. Knudson. “Prescription Drug Take Back Day is the perfect opportunity to safely remove these harmful substances from our homes and our communities.”

Many prescription drugs are gateway drugs that can lead to serious addictions to illegal narcotics, like heroin.

“We’ve all seen the tragic effects heroin has on our community. Prescription Drug Take Back Day is a powerful tool we can use as we work to combat this devastating drug,” said Rep. Knudson.

Residents can bring their prescription and over-the-counter medications to any of the following law enforcement agencies in and around the 30th Assembly District to be safely disposed:

North Hudson Police Dept.—400 7th St.
Hudson Police Dept.—101 Vine St.
St. Croix County Sheriff’s Office—1101 Carmichael Rd. Hudson, WI
Baldwin Police Dept.—400 Cedar St.
New Richmond Police Dept.—1443 Campus Dr.
Pierce County Sheriff’s Office—423 W. Main St. Ellsworth, WI
Roberts Police Dept.—107 E. Maple St.

For more information visit the Wisconsin Department of Justice’s website at www.doj.state.wi.us.

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